

*Wm. James*

## Funeral Here Monday For William McKeag

Last rites for William McKeag, 86, were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock at Bramer Funeral Home in charge of the Rev. George W. Roquet, pastor of First United Presbyterian church. Organist was Mrs. Ed Barrechek.

Burial was in I.O.O.F. cemetery. Pallbearers were Wallace Edelen, Earl Wheeler, Delmar Carter, Delmar Heishman, Glenn Mowrey and John Gritsch. Flower attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kornis.

The son of John and Helen Putman McKeag, William James McKeag was born July 4, 1879, at Montezuma, and died January 28, 1966, at the Lone Elm rest home in Grinnell where he had lived for the past 17 months.

He was married to Martha Ellen Dillsaver Sept. 13, 1906, in Montezuma, who preceded him in death in 1947. He married Bess Bracy in 1948.

Mr. McKeag farmed north of Brooklyn for several years, later moving to Clinton where he worked at the Clinton Engine Company. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias.

He is survived by his widow, who lives in Clinton; two children, Walter McKeag and Mrs. Andrew (Helen) Calderwood, both of Brooklyn; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; a brother, Ben McKeag of Montezuma and a sister, Hattie Miksel of Delta.

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